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IN THE CYCLING WORLD

ECHOES OF THE SIX DAYS RACE ARE STILL HEARD.

MOTT'S ACTION IN THE CASE WILL BE CLOSELY WATCHED-MEETING OF THE DIVISION OFFICERS-HINTS FOR CYCLISTS-

NOTES AND COMMENTS. While the six days' race is a thing of the past, the echoes will not stop resounding, and it is doubtful whether the matter will be allowed to rest until after the officials of the League of American Wheelmen have investigated it thoroughly. At present the managers of the race seem content to let the matter rest where it is, and to allow Ashinger, who built the track, to assume all the blame for the short circuit, I. B. Potter, the president of the League, says that the matter is entirely in the hands of the Racing Board, and he thinks that a hands of the Racing Board, and he finings that a rigid investigation will be made by Albert Mott, the chairman of that Board. Mott has so far made a capital chairman, and his work has been commended all over the country by both the racing men and the race-meet promoters. In his dealings with cycling disputes he has been careful to deal out justice without regard to personal acquaintance or friendship. What action he will take in the short-track case means a great deal to the L. A. W., and he cannot afford to pass over the matter as if it was of no consequence. While the organization simply gives a technical permit for the holding of race meets, many people read those words printed on the programmes, "Sanctioned by the L. A. W.," as meaning much more than that. It is barely possible that at the coming annual meeting of the L. A. W. the word "sanction" may be eliminated and "permitted" or some other word substituted. The League cannot afford to have a thought of distrust of its direction and action, and a thorough, open and impartial investigation must be made in the case of the six days' squabble. Those who were responsible for the shortage of the track and the practical swindling of the public should be made to suffer, and the innocent purged of all suspicion. If Ashinger alone is found responsible, his fate will be expulsion from all tracks and his business as a track-builder will be ruined. rigid investigation will be made by Albert Mott, the

An informal meeting of the Board of Officers of the New-York State Division of the League of American Wheelmen was held at the Grand Union Hotel yesterday afternoon, to go over the reports of Hotel yesterday afternoon, to go over the reports of the various committees and to arrange the details for the regular meeting, which will be held at the same place to-night. At the meeting to-morrow the names of the seventy delegates to the National Assembly from this State will be announced. The meeting at St. Louis, in February, promises to be one of the most important in the history of the League, and many prominent wheelmen in the State auxious to be among the lucky seventy. Chief Consul Jenkins has the naming of the various committees for the year, but whether he will announce those committees at present seems doubtful.

Local L. A. W. officials have not as yet informed themselves as to the scope of the proposed sidepath bill suggested by C. T. Raymond, and to be introduced in the Legislature by Assemblyman Armstrons. When seen yesterday, President Potter of the L. A. W. said that he had had some correspondence with Mr. Raymond, but that he could not tell at this time what action the L. A. W. would take until it found out just how this bill would affect the other forms of good road legislation. The Legislature will meet in January, and before that time the governing body of the L. A. W. will have come to a thorough understanding in the matter. Local L. A. W. officials have not as yet informed

A cycling expert gives the appended brief hints: To prevent your wick clogging, burn nothing but

absolutely pure oil.

Never ride in boots; they impede ankle action.

Never ride in boots; they impede ankle action, and, when knickerbockers are worn, are unsightly. Remember that all nuts are tightened by turning from left to right, that is, in the same direction as the hands of a clock move.

A little rosin applied to a nut and spanner will affectually prevent the slipping so often experinced with a worn nut.

When a bicycle is properly adjusted, the wheels rhould swing be kward and forward by the weight of the values when lifted from the ground.

If the reservoir of your cycle lamp is not large, carry a small quantity of oil with you if you venture out for a long night ride, in case the lamp needs recharging.

Remember the application of a brake should be gradual.

Cyclistis should wear flexible braces while riding, instead of the belt many are so prone to use.

Never turn a sharp corner or pass across a road without giving some warning of your approach. Cyclists should bear in mind that the mere ringing of a bell gives no right of way, but is only used as a warning.

The annual election of the Riverside Wheelmen The annual election of the Riverside Wheelmen resulted as follows: President, Dr. Calvin L. Harrison: first vice-president, George C. Pennell; second vice-president, Charles H. Weeks; secretary, R. W. Harringtom; treasurer, George H. Creegan: financial secretary. George W. Tayler: captain, James M. Gentle: directors to serve for two years, Dr. M. A. E. McKee, A. L. Bethet, H. J. Roschi and E. Stacy Wilson. Dr. Calvin L. Harrison, who has just been chosen as president for a second term, is a graduate of Yale, an enthusiast in athietic sports, especially cycling, football and swimming, and his club has improved under his administration.

The club formerly known as the Windsor Terrace heelmen has changed its name, and in the future will be known as the Nameless Wheelmen. This action was necessitated by the fact that five dissenting members of the club formed a new club and incorporated it under the name Windsor Terrace incorporated it under the name Windsor Terrace Wheelmen. The Nameless Wheelmen has no connection whatever with the present Windsor Terrace Wheelmen. At the last regular business meeting of the Nameless Wheelmen the following officers were elected for the year 1898: President, R. Neshitt vice-president, William H. Lightfoott treasurer, F. R. Miner: recording secretary, W. J. Weeden: financial secretary, E. W. Arthur, corresponding secretary, C. E. Chapple, jr., sergeant-at-arms, A. Broberg, trustee for three years, D. Smith; one year, G. J. Sullivan. Road officers: Captain, S. W. Chapple; first lieutenant, H. M. Miller: second lieutenant, H. Simmelkiair: first color bearer, C. Binder; second color bearer, William Brown: first bugier, L. Gelly: second bugier, D. Hawkins; surgeon, F. R. Miner; assistant surgeons, G. L. Rose, C. E. Chapple, fr. and C. W. Dalley: delegates to Associated Cycle Clubs, G. W. Arthur, F. R. Miner and

"Perforce the ordinary tenant must rent houses that have no bloycle shed or closet easily accessible to the front entrance, but, as is recognized by sible to the front entrance, but, as is recognized by all architects now, no plan for a house is considered perfect without such an accommodation, and no house would be as likely to be soid unless such a convenience was one of its features or possible to be made so." says "The Wheel." "The wise architect, formerly, in the modern apartment building, provided a recess on the first floor for the ever-present baby carriage, but now, should he wish the property to be a good investment for his client, he must also provide a safe, accessible storage room for the wheels of the tenants and their friends."

ment stores are getting right into the trade, and what the harvest will be is unknown until the sun-shine of prosperity and the waters of wrath have got in their little work for a season. It used to

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EENRY ABADIR.

be thought that the hardware stores were about the proper thing to handle bicycles; that is, locally, but a change has come over the manufacturer, and he has evidently come to the conclusion that when you go to be measured for an umbrella it will remind you to get your cubical contents calculated mind you to get your cubical contents calculated mind you to get furnishing stores are also disfor a wheel. Men's furnishing stores are also displaying bicycles in their show-windows, and there is a prospect of the dealer losing his occupation. One of these days you will see the sign, 'A bicycle given away with every \$10 overcoat."

Christmas Gifts

A St. Louis firm has been incorporated for the purpose of manufacturing gear-case aluminum biscycles. The gear case, which bids fair to become popular next season, will be part of the frame. The popular next season, will be part of the frame principal feature of the whitel will be tall gear-principal feature of the whitel will be tall gear-gated frame in one continuous casting, free from all joints. A St. Louis firm has been incorporated for the

Wheelmen may obtain full printed information and membership blanks by sending names and addresses to the Cycling Editor, The Tribune.

INDOOR RECORDS SMASHED. Milwaukee, Dec. 19.-Two indoor bicycle records were broken at the Exposition Building last night on a seven-lap track, Walter C. Sanger going a half-mile, unpaced, in 1:00 3-5, the previous record being

Henry Kanaska went a mile, paced by two tandems. In 1:38 2-5, the former mark being 1:3815. Kanaska rode the first half in the remarkable time of 55 3-5 seconds, but lost several seconds in the second half by failure of his pacemakers to pick him up at the proper time.

HELD UP BY A BOLD GANG.

THIEVES WITH REVOLVERS ROB AN EAST SIDE DRUG STORE.

THE CLERK IN CHARGE CHOKED WHEN HE SHOWED RESISTANCE-TWO MEN IN-SIDE AND FIVE ON GUARD

OUTSIDE.

Harry Davidson, twenty-three years old, a drug cierk in charge of the drugstore owned by Goetz, Schoff & Bakst, at Pike and Madison sts., had an exciting experience about 10 o'clock last night with a gang of seven highwaymen At the point of a revolver two of the men secured about \$35. Business was very dull in the store, and Davidson spent the greater part of the evening alternately reading and dozing in the rear of the store. A few minutes before 10 o'clock he was roused by a slight noise. He got up and noticed several suspicious-looking characters outside. He did not mind them at first, however. The store has two entrances, one on the corner and another on the Pike-st.

Davidson was about to resume his seat when two of the men entered, as he supposed, to make a purchase. One of them walked toward him, while the other carelessly sauntered over toward the cash drawer. Davidson, anticipating an order for something, waited back of the counter, and as the fellow approached him inquired

"Well, what can I do for you?" Quick as a flash the fellow leaned over the

ounter and, with an oath, pointed a revolver at

"You can shell out your money and keep your mouth shut, and do it damn quick," was his

His action was the cue for the other man. He jumped to the cash drawer and forced it with a jimmy. It was pretty well filled with small bills and a lot of silver, and this the burglar literally shovelled into his pockets. He seemed a novice, and, in his excitement, spilled over \$15 worth on the floor. Davidson says he was frightened at first, but, instead of holding up his hands as commanded, he struck at the robber. He then made an effort to run toward the opening near the end of the counter to give an alarm. The robber ran with him, warning him to stop or he would shoot.

Davidson was so badly frightened that he paid no attention to the command, and the robber put his revolver in his pocket and grabbed him by the throat as he emerged from behind the counter. "He almost choked me to death," said Davidson, later, in describing the incident. "I fought him for all I was worth, and was getting the best of him, when he yelled to the other

chap to hurry up."

The entrance from the corner door of an old The entrance from the corner does of all man and the appearance of other people outside alarmed the robbers, and they both ran out the Pike-st. door. They speeded toward the river, and when a block away four shots were heard. Who fired them is not known. The other five

Fifteen minutes later a policeman appeared. The Madison-st. police were informed, and Detectives McCarthy and Haggerty started out to look for the robbers.

Davidson described the man who had the revolver as about twenty-five years old, of sandy complexion, and about 5 feet 6 inches tall. He wore a slouch hat and a black overcoat. The other was younger and considerably smaller.

A young woman living next door says she saw the entire transaction, and she gave a partial description of the robbers to the police. She declares that the five men who waited outside without question belonged to the gang. A mysterious thing happened earlier in the evening.

Two shots were heard near Gouverneur and Two shots were heard near Gouverneur and Cherry sts., but who fired them is not known. They were heard by the policeman on post and the nurses in Gouverneur Hospital. It is thought that the same gang probably tried to hold up some one else.

ITEMS OF INTEREST FOR GOLFERS.

THE MAIDSTONE CLUB TO EXTEND ITS COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE ANNUAL MEET-

The Maidstone Golf Club, of Easthampton, Long Island, has leased grounds adjoining its present links, and will lay out an eighteen-hole in time for next season's play. The club was start ed six years ago as a tennis organization, but the rapid use of golf induced its members to take up the latter sport, and three years ago a beginning was made with seven holes near the present clubhouse. The following year two more holes were added, and now the club plans a further extension in order to keep pace with the increasing interes the game. The present officers are: Dr. Everett Herrick, president; Dr. George E. Monroe, vice president; P. B. Spring, treasurer, and Samuel T. Skidmore, secretary. The Golf Committee consist of C. L. W. Eidlitz, A. H. Larkin and E. Johnson. This is only one of many clubs that have under-taken to increase their facilities for golf during the course of the present winter, and is a significant indication of the hold which the game has taken since its introduction into this country. The will-ligness on the part of so many goif players to saddle themselves with the extensive and expensive obligations consequent upon maintaining a thoroughly equipped links would seem to prove a strong confidence in the continued popularity of the sport for some years to come. Two seasons ago an eighteen-hole course was a rarity, but to judge from the announcements made in the last few weeks, next year will find the majority of golf clubs in possession of links of this character.

Further information concerning the plans of the Ocean County Hunt and Country Club, of Lakewood, for its New Year's Day professional tournament makes it evident that the purse to be divided among the first four players will amount to \$150 or possibly more. That the contest will be a close one is apparent from the list of professionals who are to take part, some of the more prominent being Horace Rawlins, Harry Rawlins, "Willie" Tucker, "Willie" Norton, H. Way, "Val" Flizjoha and "Sam" Tucker, indication of the hold which the game has taken

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Robert B. Kerr, secretary of the United States Golf Association, has announced that the annual meeting of the organization will take place at Delmonico's on February 17. The following Nominating Committee has been appointed to bring in the list of new officers: Grenville Kane, E. K. McCullough and H. O. Tallmadse.

The list of contests at the Ocean County Hunt and Country Club, of Lakewood, this week heludes an open handleap to-morrow for the Claffin Cup. a women's tournament on Wednesday for the President's Cup, offered by George J. Gould, an eighteenhole handleap on Thursday for "The Times and Journal" Cup, and a men's handlean on Friday for a cup presented by Mrs. George J. Gould.

The annual meeting of the Knollwood Country Club, of Elmsford, N. Y., which was to take place last Friday evening, has been postponed till the latter part of this week.

IN THE KLONDIKE.

From The Detroit Journal.

"Kind sir," faitered the beggar, "won't you give
a hungry fellow \$10,000?"

"No," answered the man, brusquely, "I dare say
you would at once spend it for a glass of cheap
beer." peer. In the Klondike, as elsewhere, charity was kind, and endured much, and all that, but it had to be careful; otherwise it was as a sounding brass, or rather gold.

The Manamater Store

The Holiday Trade Center of Greater New York is at Wanamaker's. That states the whole case. Store open evenings until Christmas.





Holiday

of Dress Goods selling—the cause, gift buying. Lynx-Dress Goods. markets of the world that prices here in is before the visitors at our counters. Some the duty of down so cheaply that none need hints follow of what they'll find. The savings from current prices are twenty-five per

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37/2c.—Plain Mohair. 28c.—All-wool Dress Flannels and plain Mohair

COLORED DRESS STUFFS. 75c.—Heather Cheviot, mixed Granite Cloth, two-toned Granite Armures, Mohairs and Silk Novelties,

Broadcloths, Storm Serges, Covert Cloths and Whipcords.

rietta Cloth. 50c. - Camel's-hair Suiting, Persian Armure, Figured Suiting and Diagonal Serge. 37½c.—Persian Suiting and Fancy Cloths.

Boxed Dress Patterns of fancy woolens, \$3.50 to \$6.

woolens, \$2 to \$7. Banded Dress Patterns of printed cottons,

60c. to \$1.25.

Retunds and Fourth avenue.

Silk the Underwear Store on account Skirts. \$4 sort are of Roman striped taffeta silk, so well made that competition halts a long way off. This is also true of the \$5 sorts, of the same silk in more costly make, and certain others of rustling taffeta, with umbrella and dust ruffles-two styles in three colors each. So many critical shoppers come back for them after looking at the skirts in other stores, that we conclude it is our duty to tell of them. Hence this.

THE most elegant combination of materials for a black cape is velour, jet and braid. The velour is rich and soft, the passementerie brilliant Autocrats of style, dictators in Brus-

Why Amazon? They are Os-Amazon trich feathers-but you know Plumes. the trade name. Here's the point: We have a lot, large, lustrous, brilliant, black, worth \$4, that are to be sold at \$1.75-a chance of the season.

Feather
Boas.

Some would have cost double, others a half more, in recent days. See how they go:

French Novelty Boas, combined of Ostrich, Coque and Marabout feathers, some

with double tail and pieces-the Paris craze. Were \$7, \$10, \$11, \$15, \$18, Are \$5, \$6.50, \$8, \$11.50, \$12.

French Novelty Collarettes, \$1, from \$1.75; and \$2, from \$4.

CHRISTMAS brings the zenith of Dress Goods selling—the Eiderdown. The sheep in duck's clothing. It's a good name—"Eiderdown." Suggests luxury, warmth, ease, eyes have been watching the dress goods grace, comfort. The production of the woolen stuff called "Eiderdown" brought mid-winter might be the least. The result | blessings to humanity. It makes wool do

To-day on the second floor an exhibition of Eiderdown Dressing Jackets and Robes, that should dissolve quickly—win-some cheapness. These garments are not cut by skimped patterns. Some Jackets are 60c., but the following are the more important. If desired for Christmas gifts each garment will be put in a fancy box.

FIDERDOWN SACQUES.

At \$1-Of solid color eiderdown, in pink, light blue, gray, and cardinal; fitted back, full front, closing with frogs; ribbon at neck.

At \$1-Of striped eiderdown, fitted back, and full front, crocheted edge of zephyr; frogs in front

three frogs, ribbon at neck. At \$2.50-Of Landsome, extra quality, striped eider-

At \$2.75-Of pretty striped eiderdown, with black dash; fitted back, full front; sailor collar all bound

At \$3.—Of solid color eiderdown in pink, light blue, gray, and cardinal; fitted back, loose front; small collar bound with satin ribbon, bow at neck.

At \$3.75—Of solid color eiderdown, in red, pink, gray, and light blue; fitted back, full front, two

lk frogs in front; sailor collar bound with satin bbon; ribbon at neck, very full skirt.

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At \$4—Of superior quality; wavy striped eiderdow n;
full front, fitted back; lay-down collar bound with
satin ribbon; extra full skirt, bow at neck.

At \$5.50—Of solid color ripple eiderdown, in pink,
gray, cardinal, and light blue, fitted back, loose
front, large sailor collar bound with satin ribbon;
also front bound with satin ribbon.

At \$7-Ot solid color ripple eiderdown, with stripe in pink, blue gray, and cardinal, fitted back, fall front, with three frogs in front, large stitched coltar bound with satin ribbon; bow at neck, excellent value

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At \$2.50 a pair-Of good, strong, serviceable wool,

At \$3.25 a pair-90 per cent wool, speci cotton warp, staple wool filling; for single beds, 60 by 80 in . 41, 1bs.

in , 4 ½ lbs.

At \$3.75 a pair—Of medium weight fine, soft and spongy wool, for single beds, 60 by 80 in., 4 lbs.

At \$3 a pair—Of good wool, strong, warm, free from oil, for three-quarter beds, 70 by 82 in.,

5 lbs.

At \$3.75 a pair—Of light spool cotton, thread wool filling; this is made to our special order; for three-quarter beds, 72 by 84 in., 6 lbs.

At \$5 a pair—Of soft, long staple wool, medium weight; for three-quarter beds, 70 by 82 in., 5 lbs.

At \$5 a pair—Of pure wool filling on fine spool cotton warp; for large double beds, 78 by 84 in., 7 lbs.

At \$6 a pair-Of very fine wool, finished soft and spongy; for large double beds, 80 by 87 in , 7 lbs.

At \$8 a pair—Of very fine wool, medium weight; for large double beds, 78 by 86 in , 634 lbs. Also a great stock of the finest Mission Mills California Blankets

Wrap stock has assembled Overcoats. 120 Reefers and Jackets, upon which the prices are reduced for quick sales. They are all new and good. To-day's prices offer a premium to prompt buyers They are divided into three groups. First.-Sizes 6 to 10 years. Double-breasted reefers

of beaver and cheviot, mostly blue. They wer all \$3, \$3.75 and \$4 Saturday. Price to-day, Two Dollars.

THE chief of the Cloak and 1

Second,-Sizes 6 to 18 years. Reefers and jackets of light and dark cheviots, variously trimmed in the latest styles. They were \$6 to \$9 Saturday.

Four Dollars. THIRD.—Sizes 6 to 18 years. Fly-front jackets, double-breasted reefers, and blouses of astrakhan cloth, mixed cheviots and boucle cloths, light and dark colors. They were all \$9 to \$18. Price to-

Seven Dollars and a Half. The list should demand the prompt attention of intending purchasers.

HERE is a chance at some Holiday high-grade novelties suitable Neckwear. for gifts-only one piece of a kind. Got this small lot of Collarettes, Ruffs and Fancy Fronts at a fraction of their cost. 50c., \$2, \$3, \$4 each are the prices. Come cheap, go cheap. They'll be quick sellers. reet and Broadway

Bric-a-Brac. The basement—Broadway —is reached from the first floor by stairs that are easy and steps that are soft. They lead to the Art Rooma veritable little museum. Hundreds of pleased visitors are in it daily. We're thinking now of the thousands that as yet know

Within it you may see:

Sevres vases from \$750 a pair, to pretty French enameled, mounted vases, at \$5 each, and all prices between.

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French bronzes that start at \$4 and end at \$100. Royal Bonn vases at \$40, with imitations at \$5. Fine plates—real art works—from \$1.25 to \$25.

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lynxes and other beasts that like to feed on

men, contribute their skins to our rug col-

Tigers, \$125 and \$300; American Lion, olored border; for single beds, 60 by 80 in. | \$50; Black Bear, \$55, and other sorts of

skins down to the Chinese Goat. Sorr, tender in color, Antique Cashmere Rugs. and so durable that you need not fear to lose your rug friend. You may fix your affections upon it and disregard the lapse of time.

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all the rest of the goodly Oriental company. BEST makes only. We Domestic Smyrna Rugs. leave the common ones to chinaware peddlers—

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Morris For men-Morris Chairs. Five hundred men may dump their Chairs. weariness and rest their tired heads in the Morris Chairs now here. But this has not to do with tired men.

but with more tired women that are studying as to what the gift shall be for Husband, Brother, Son, Lover. The frames are of oak, antique and malathite; mahogany, real and birch imitation.

The cushions are of denim, tapestry, cordu-

roy, leather, and other stuffs. The quota-

tions are for Morris Chairs complete, but the prices are divided between cushions and frames, so that any combination is possible. \$3.50-Ot oak, nicely finished, spindled sides, carved

front, brass rod supporting back, denim cushions. 88—Or oak or imitation mahogany, nicely finished, turned spindled sides, brass rod supporting back,

spindled sides, brass rod supporting back, corduror cushions.

\$11—Of imitation mahogany, shaped arms, turned spindled sides, highly polished finish, brass rod supporting back, velvet cushions.

\$13.50—Of quartered oak, malachite finish, carved arms, spindled sides, carved claw feet, brass rod supporting back, conducts on the brass rod spindled sides. supporting back, corduroy cushions filled with

\$14—Of imitation mahogany, fancy shaped carved arms, fancy turned spindled sides, highly polished finish, brass rod supporting back, cordurey cushions filled with hair. 821—Of imitation mahogany, shaped arms, fancy spindled sides, highly polished finish, brass rod supporting back, tapestry cushions filled with hair.

\$22.75—Of quartered oak, malachite finish, shaped arms, square spindled sides, highly polished finish, brass rod supporting back, velvet cushions filled with hair.

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more will do so as the facts are better known. If you are meditating a house coat Men's for some one's Christmas, come here to-day. Choosing is easiest

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CARRIES HIS LAURELS MODESTLY.

RUSH SAYS HE PREFERS NOT TO RECEIVE CON-GRATULATIONS UNTIL HE MEETS WEFERS AGAIN.

J. H. Rush, of Princeton University, who defeated the champion, B. J. Wefers, in the 230-yard run at Madison Square Garden on Saturday night in 24 4-5 seconds and tied him in the 40-yard dash in 5 seconds, takes his victory in an unassuming way. He disclaims any special credit for beating Wefers, who was, he says, not in prime condition and modestly adds that he should prefer not to re-ceive congratulations until he again "tries conclusions with the champion," which he will probclusions with the champion, which he will ably do at the intercollegiate meet next spring. He spoke highly of Wefers last night, and of the latter's treatment of him. It may be remembered that Wefers claimed a foul in the 220-yard run, which was not allowed. Rush says that Wefers came to him, however, after the race, and acknowledged that it was not a foul, and that he had been hasty. He gave Rush fuil credit for beating him. This Rush praised as a maniy act on Wefers's part.

Mr. Rush is a young Princeton man, and this is his second year only on the track. He was graduated last year from Grinnell College, in lown, where he was captain of the track team, and where he held the State records, made at the lowal intercollegiate meet, for the 100-yard dash at 94-5 seconds and the 220-yard run at 21.45 seconds. Two years ago at the Western intercollegiate meet, the won the 40-yard run in 50.45 seconds. Last year he was unable to run in this meet. He ran against Wefers on August 28 last in the American championship games of the Amateur Athletic Union, when Wefers won the 100-yard dash in 94-5 ably do at the intercollegiate meet next spring. He

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HE FOUGHT HIS WAY TO THE FRONT.

had his coat buttoned to the chin in order to con-ceal his sangularry contributions to the somewhat heated argument. Our muscular controversy seemed to clear the atmosphere. There was a war cloud present when he asked me if I thought my eye would close and I showed like solitizeds by asking if he thought it possible that any of the showed the fact begotter of mutual respect. As soon as my usually handsome appearance had returned I joined his command. After 'Dick' had beaten me out of my best girl we became fast chums, and he made me 'colonel.'

From The Cleveland Leader. Tom the Cleveland Leader.

"John," said Lucilie Farringford, "what makes you look so sad?"

They had been betrothed for several weeks, and, of course, she had the right to call him John.

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"I am not sad," he managed at length to say.
"Then," the sweet girl repiled. "It I were you I would go out and bump my countenance against something hard. You couldn't help improving it."
"Miss Farringford," said the proud young man,
"I didn't come here to be insuited."
"No," she answered, "you seem to have come here for the purpose of having somebody tlekle you under the chin, and revive your spirits with liberal applications of taffy."
He drew himself up proudly.
"As I said before." he declared, "I am not sad. You wrong me. I was only thinking."
With a glad cry she flung herself into his arms. "Oh, John!" she exclaimed, "forgive me. I am so happy!"

happy?"
"I do not understand your sudden change of mood," he said, when she would consent to have him remove his lips from hers. "Why are you happy?"
"Because that look was due to the fact that you happy?"
"Because that look was due to the fact that you were thinking," she told him. "Now I know that I shall not see it often."
But he had ceased to think. He didn't see the point. So he smiled again, and their joy became almost too great to be endured.

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seconds. In this race the decision made it a dead heat between Rush and J. H. Maybury, Chicago Athletic Association, for second place. Rush entered up at Princeton this fall, after completing a four years' course in science at Grinnell, and he expects to be graduated with the degree of B. S. at Princeton with the class of '98. He has done some work at Princeton, having won the 500-yard scratch in 32 seconds at the fall games. He is a member of the Chicago Athletic Club.

SAVED FROM THE CLEVELANI THIRTEEN OF THE CREW PICKED UP BY THE STEAMER QUADRA.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 19.-Thirteen of the missing

men from the steamer Cleveland have been picked

up by the steamer Quadra, having been blown north after parting company with the captain's boat. The first mate's boat was found near Flores Island, and the third mate's at Hosquiet. One man in the first mate's boat died from cold and exhaustion.

ROTHSCHILDS BUY A COPPER MINE.

SEVERAL MILLIONS PAID FOR THE INGUARAN

PROPERTY IN MEXICO.

City of Mexico, Dec. 19.-The sale of the Inguaran copper mines to Rothschild & Mirrabeaud, of Paris, for several million dollars is the result of prolonged investigation into this property. Several parties of experts have come over from France to report, and all agree on its value and on the enormous quantity of ore in the mines. Messrs. Rothschild and Mirrabeaud will build two lines of railroad, one to connect with the western branch of the Mexican National Railway and the other with the west coast, so as to have connection with the Pacific Ocean.

From The Detroit Free Press.

HE WAS THINKING.

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"How did I get my title of colonel?" laughed the cheery old gentleman who has never married, and regards the club as his home.

"It doesn't count for much in this sensible age, but down there in any old State our family was one of the first. Just across the street was another of the first families, and our relations were much like those which made so much unnecessary trouble for Romeo and Juliet. 'Dick' Groomer, of my own age and attached to the adjacent enemy, had been urging me for some months to join a young military organization in which he wiesded an almost autocratic power. One evening I indicated his presence at my room, and plainly told him that he was animated by some ulterior and unworthy motive in trying to enlist me. He declared, with poorly concealed sarcasm, a desire single to the promotion of military interests. I submitted that the truth was not in him.

"After we had washed up and made the wreckage of furniture as presentable as possible, the one eye while I glared at him with the other. He

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